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PLAYBACK AND DEVICE FOR ITS PLAYBACK

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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May 21, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of January 21, 2004,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.